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TRADE PRICE-LIST

OF THE

AMERICAN LEAD PENCIL CO.

NEW YORK.

Office: 34 JOHN STREET, NEW YORK.
Factory: HUDSON CITY, NEW JERSEY.

Drawing Pencils.

Finest and Best.

No.				Per Gross.
3.	STANDARD—Hexagon , purple gilt, BBBBVB, ...			\$16 00
4.	Do.	do.	do.	BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, NHHHHH, 13 00
5.	Do.	Round , purple gilt, BBBBVB, ...		14 50
6.	Do.	do.	do.	BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, NHHHHH, 12 00
8.	Do.	Hexagon , purple gilt, No. 1—6..		13 00
9.	Do.	Round , do.	No. 1—6..	12 00

Super Extra Fine.

No.				Per Gross.
10.	Hexagon , red polish. gilt, BBBBVB, ...			13 00
11.	Do.	do.	do.	BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, NHHHHH, 11 00
13.	Do.	Nat. polish. gilt, BBBBVB, ...		13 00
14.	Do.	do.	do.	BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, NHHHHH, 11 00

Fine.

No.				Per Gross.
18.	Round , nat. polish. silver, BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, NHHHHH, ...			5 75

These pencils are also sold in assorted gross, one or more dozen of each grade, just as wanted by the trade.

Tablet Pencils.

No.				Per Gross.
	Hexagon , red gilt, EXTRA FINE, ...			
	Do.	do.	do.	tipped, ...
	Do.	nat. polish. EXTRA FINE, ...		
	Do.	do.	do.	tipped, ...
71.	Round , red gilt EXTRA FINE, ...			3 50
72.	Do.	do.	do.	tipped, ...
71.	Do.	black gilt, do.	or nat. polish silver...	3 50
72.	Do.	do.	do.	tipped, ...
	Round , Back, FINE, ...			
	Do.	Red, ...		
	Do.	Blue, ...		
	Do.	Natural polished, ...		
	Do.	Small, 4 inches, ...		

Artists' Pencils.

No.				Per Dozen.
29.	Hexagon , red gilt, large, ...			\$2 30
30.	Do.	do.	middling, ...	2 00
31.	Do.	do.	small, ...	
	Artiss' Round , bone handle, large, EXTRA FINE, ...			
	Do.	do.	do.	middling do. ...
	Do.	do.	do.	small do. ...
	Do.	Leads , 6 in box, large, ...		3 00
	Do.	do.	do.	small, ...

Pencils in Boxes.

Artists' Pencils in Wooden Boxes.

Super extra fine—Red polish. or nat. polish. gilt.

No.				Per Dozen.
401.	10 Hexagon in Albums, knife, rubber and crayon...			\$21 00
402.	10 do.	in Box, BBBBVB, BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, NHHHH, ...		11 50
403.	7 do.	in Box, BBB, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, ...		8 75
404.	5 do.	do.	BB, B, F, HB, H, ...	6 75
405.	7 do.	do.	rubber and knife, BBB—HH, ...	11 75
406.	5 do.	do.	do.	BB—H, ...

Fine—Natural polished silver.

No.				Per Dozen.
410.	10 Round , in Albums, rubber, knife and crayon, ...			18 00
411.	10 do.	in Box, BBB, BB, B, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, NHHH, ...		7 25
412.	7 do.	in Box, BB, B, F, HB, H, HH, NHH, ...		5 75
413.	5 do.	do.	BB, B, F, HB, H, ...	5 25
414.	7 do.	do.	rubber and knife, BB—HH, ...	8 50
415.	5 do.	do.	do.	BB—H, ...

Engineers' and Architects' Pencils.

Super Extra Fine—Red polish. or nat. polish. gilt.

No.				Per Dozen.
420.	10 Hexagon , in Albums—knife, rubber & crayon ...			\$20 50
421.	10 do.	in Box—HHHHHH, NHHHH, NHHH, NHH, HH, H, HB, F, B, BB, ...		11 25
422.	7 do.	in Box—HHHHHH, NHH, HH, H, HB, F, B, ...		8 75
423.	5 do.	do.	HH, H, HB, F, B, ...	6 75
424.	7 do.	do.	rubber and knife HHHHHH—B, ...	11 75
425.	5 do.	do.	do.	HH—B, ...

Fine—Natural polished silver.

No.				Per Dozen.
430.	10 Round , in Albums—rubber, knife and crayon, ...			18 00
431.	10 do.	in Box—HHHHHH, NHHHH, NHHH, NHH, HH, H, HB, F, B, BB, ...		7 25
432.	7 do.	in Box—HHHHHH, NHH, HH, H, HB, F, B, ...		5 75
433.	5 do.	do.	HH, H, HB, F, B, ...	5 25
434.	7 do.	do.	rubber and knife, HHHHHH—B, ...	8 50
435.	5 do.	do.	do.	HH—B, ...
450.	5 Hexagon , gilt, No. 1—5, in gilt paper boxes, EXTRA FINE, ...			4 00
451.	4 do.	gilt, No. 1—4, in gilt paper boxes, EXTRA FINE, ...		3 50
445.	5 do.	silver, No. 1—5, in fancy paper boxes FINE, ...		3 10
446.	4 do.	silver, No. 1—4, in fancy paper boxes FINE, ...		2 75
455.	5 Round , gilt, No. 1—5, in gilt paper boxes—EXTRA FINE, ...			3 25
456.	4 do.	gilt, No. 1—4, in gilt paper boxes—EXTRA FINE, ...		2 75
448.	5 do.	gilt, No. 1—5, in fancy paper boxes, FINE, ...		2 80
449.	4 do.	gilt, No. 1—4, do. do. do.		2 45

"American Ld. Pencil Co. N. Y."

in 5 Nos. (POLYGRADES No. 1-5.)

BEST QUALITY, in dyed Cedar Wood.

No.	Per Gross
20. Hexagon , red polished gilt, <i>extra fine</i>	\$6 75
21. Do. do. do. do. bone tipped	8 50
22. Do. do. do. do. rubber tip.	9 75
24. Round , black polished gilt, <i>extra fine</i>	5 00
25. Do. red polished gilt, do.	5 00
26. Do. nat. polished silver do.	5 00
27. Do. either color, bone tipped,.....	6 75
28. Do. do rubber tipped	8 00

SECOND QUALITY, in natural Cedar Wood.

Stamped: "AMERICAN LD. PENCIL CO. N.Y. FINE."

No.	Per Gross.
32. Hexagon , Nat. polished silver,	5 00
33. Do. do. do. Bone tipped.....	6 75
34. Do. do. do. Rubber tipped	8 00
35. Round , black polished gilt, No. 2 or 3	4 00
36. Do. do. do. bone tipped....	5 75
37. Do. do. do. rubber tipped..	7 00

Cheap Pencils.

No.	Per Gross.
40. EMPIRE—Hexagon , red gilt, No. 2 & 3,.....	4 25
40. Do. do. nat. polish. No. 2 & 3.....	4 25
41. Do. do. either color, bone tipped,....	6 00
42. Do. do. do. rubber tipped....	7 00
45. Do. Round , black polish. gilt, No. 2 & 3,...	3 25
45. Do. do. red polish. gilt, No. 2 & 3,....	3 25
45. Do. do. nat. polish. No. 2 & 3,.....	3 25
46. Do. do. either color, bone tipped	5 00
47. Do. do. do. rubber tipped,....	6 00
50. PIONEER—Round , Black polished, No. 2,.....	2 75
55. Cedarwood, Round , black polish.. rubber tipped..	5 50
56. Do. do. do. first quality,...	2 50
57. Do. do. red polished, do.	2 50
58. Do. do. plain	2 20
60. UNIVERSAL do. black polished, second quality	1 75
62. Whitewood , black polished, Round	1 65
63. Do. plain, do.	1 40

Carpenters' Pencils.

No.	Per Gross
212. Oval , Cedar Wood, nat. or red pol. 6 in. small size,	\$4 00
213. Do. do. do. 6 " com. size,	4 50
214. Do. do. do. 8½ " do.	6 00
215. Do. do. do. 12 " do.	8 00
216. Do. do. do. 15 " do.	10 50
230. Round do. do. 8 " do.	7 00
304. Oval , White Wood, red polished, 6 " small size,	2 50
305. Do. do. do. 6 " com. size,	2 75
306. Do. do. do. 8½ " do.	4 10
307. Do. do. do. 12 " do.	6 25
308. Do. do. do. 15 " do.	8 00
300. Round do. do. 8 " do.	4 10
290. Oval , do. plain..... 6 " small size,	2 30
291. Do. do. do. 6 " com. size,	2 50
292. Do. do. do. 8½ " do.	3 25
293. Do. do. do. 12 " do.	4 25
294. Do. do. do. 15 " do.	6 00

Colored Pencils.

No.	Per Gross.
90. Carmin and Blue , HEXAGON, red gilt, EXTRA FINE, First Quality	\$14 00
92. Carmin and Blue , HEXAGON, Red gilt, Second Quality,.....	12 00
95. Colored , ROUND, Red gilt, EXTRA FINE, large.....	10 00
96. Do. do. Blue gilt, do. do.	10 00
99. Do. do. Red gilt, do. small.....	8 25
100. Do. do. Blue gilt, do. do.	8 25

Pencils for Special Purposes.

Stenographic Pencils.....per gr.
Leads everpointed ... per 100 gr.

Fancy Pencils.

No.	Per Gross.
80. Round , Extra Fine. Fancy. 12 colors assorted,....	\$6 50
85. Do. flamed polished.....	4 75
86. Do. do. tipped,.....	6 25
88. Motto Pencils , Round, assorted,	4 75

Prices Net Cash—free on board in New York—payable in New York Funds. Packing charged at cost price.

ALL ORDERS ARE FILLED AT ONCE.

NEW YORK, JULY 1867.

TESTIMONIALS.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, December 28, 1865.

American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y.
Gentlemen:—The Secretary of War instructs me to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 27th inst. together with a box of excellent lead pencils of your manufacture. It is a pleasure to write with them. We appreciate your kindness.

Your obedient servant.

E. L. STANTON.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, December 28, 1865.

American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y.
Gentlemen:—We are giving your pencils a fair trial and find them of excellent quality and equal to any ever used, and see no reason why they should not be used by this Department.

I am very truly yours,

HUGH McCULLOCH.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 8, 1866.

Gentlemen:—The Postmaster General has instructed me to acknowledge receipt of your box of pencils, which are of superior quality, and which we shall be glad to use in our office.

Yours respectfully,

A. M. RANDALL, First Ass't. P. M. General.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, January 5, 1866.

Gentlemen:—It gives me pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of samples of your pencils, which are of superior quality. This evidence of successful competition with the best imported specimens of pencils is a source of gratification and will, I trust, be in all respects successful.

Very respectfully,

GIDEON WELLES.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ALBANY, December 28, 1865.

Gentlemen:—I am in receipt of samples of your lead pencils, and find them equal, if not superior to any thing of foreign make, and further trust you will receive the liberal patronage of the American people.

Thanking you for your kindness, I am very truly yours.

R. E. FENTON.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 8, 1866.

Gentlemen:—I have to thank you for the specimen box of lead pencils of your own manufacture, which you were kind enough to send me.

I find them of excellent quality, equal to any I have ever used.

Very respectfully,

JOHN T. HOFFMAN.

SHEFFIELD SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT,
YALE COLLEGE, November 6, 1866.

I have always recommended the Faber polygrade lead pencils as the only pencils fitted for both ornamental and mathematical drawing; but after a thorough trial of the AMERICAN POLYGRADE LEAD PENCILS manufactured by the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. I find them superior to any pencil in use, even to the Faber or the old English Cumberland lead pencil, being a superior pencil for sketching, ornamental and mechanical drawing, and all the ordinary uses of a lead pencil.

These pencils are very finely graded and have a very smooth lead: even the softest pencils hold the point well, they are all that can be desired in a pencil. It gives me great pleasure to be able to assure Americans, that they will no longer be compelled to depend upon Germany or any other foreign market for pencils.

LOUIS BAIL,

Professor of Drawing, &c.

CROSS KEY'S POST OFFICE,
ROCKINGHAM CO. VIRGINIA, January 8, 1867.

To the American Lead Pencil Co.

Dear Sir:—Your favor has been duly received enclosing one half Dozen of assorted Pencils. I have given the Pencils a fair trial in comparison with "Faber's" and other celebrated Manufacturers, and I am free to say that I consider the pencils of the American Lead Pencil Company N. Y., superior to any I have ever used in my profession. I shall hereafter introduce them exclusively in my office. You will please accept my thanks for the liberality you have shown me in sending me three times the number of Pencils I sent money for. Hoping your enterprise will meet with great success, allow me to subscribe myself.

Yours most respectfully

EDWARD S. KEMPER,

Civil Engineer and Surveyor.

NEW HAVEN, January 11, 1867.

PROFESSOR BAIL, YALE COLLEGE.

Dear Sir:—I thank you for having called my attention to the pencils of the American Lead Pencil Co., N. Y. They are indeed excellent and upon comparison with those of Faber, which thus far I have used in my topographical labors exclusively, I find that they are really and substantially better.

These American Lead Pencils surpass the celebrated Faber's in fineness of grain, evenness and in the capacity to hold a sharp point. They cannot fail to be preferred by all our artists as soon as they are generally known, and the moderate price, for which they are sold, must secure to them in course of time the entire American market.

Very truly yours,

A. VON STEINWEHR,

late Brig. Gen. U. S. A.

SPEAKER'S ROOM, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 12, 1866.

American Lead Pencil Co., New York.

Gentlemen:—Some time ago, your agent left with me samples of pencils made by you, which I have used and distributed to others. I am much gratified to be able to say that your manufacture is the best I have used, and that Americans need no longer be under obligations to the Foreign Manufacturers for a first class pencil for any use.

Respectfully yours

JNO. A. SMALL,

Resident Clerk H. R.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 14, 1867.

The Pencils made by the American Lead Pencil Co. New York, have been used in this office, and have given entire satisfaction; it gives me pleasure to commend them

ALEX. H. BULLOCK

To the American Lead Pencil Co., New York.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 14, 1867.

To the American Lead Pencil Co., New York.
Gentlemen:—Samples of your pencils have had a fair trial in this office, and are pronounced fully equal to the best imported pencils we have ever used.

Very respectfully

OLIVER WARREN, Sect

CAMBRIDGE, January 10, 1867.
American Lead Pencil Co., New York.

Gentlemen:—The Lead Pencils bearing your name which you were kind enough to send me, I have thoroughly tested, and I think them superior to any Pencil I have before used.

Yours truly

THOMAS HILL.

President of Harvard College.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., January 14, 1867.
American Lead Pencil Co., New York.

Gentlemen:—I have experimented with the samples of Pencils which you have sent me, and find them of superior quality. I am happy to state that we are no longer dependent upon Europe for pencils fit for the Draughtsman.

Yours respectfully,

H. L. EUSTIS,

Prof. Engineering, Lawrence Scientific School.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS.

We have for some weeks been testing pencils manufactured by the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y., and have no hesitation in pronouncing them fully equal to the best of foreign manufacture.—*Daily Morning Chronicle*.—Dec. 22, 1866.—*Portsmouth, N. H.*

The pencils manufactured by the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. are every way equal to any we have ever used or seen, and the repertorial pencils surpass any we know of.—*Boston Gazette*.—Decbr. 23, 1866.

The pencils of the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. have been tried by our artists and engineers, and pronounced equal to Faber's best, if not superior to them. A fair trial will convince any one that we can have as good pencils manufactured at home as abroad.—*Quincy Herald (Illinois)*.—January 12, 1867.

Having examined and fairly tested the pencils of the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y., we pronounce them equal, if not superior to any we ever used before. We are certain that wherever these pencils have been once used, they will be preferred to any other brand.—*Boston Evening Commercial*.—Decbr. 10, 1866.

The pencils of the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. are indeed equal we may say superior to any we have ever used.—*Boston Post*.—December 11, 1866.

We have tried the American Lead Pencils, as we have tried all other kinds, and we give them preference over any we have ever used. Let Americans use American Lead Pencils.—*The Eastern Argus—Portland Me.*, January 11, 1867.

The variety of their samples is very great and the quality excellent.—*Amer. Artisan, N. Y.*—Aug. 22, 1866.

The pencils are of excellent quality, as we have ascertained by trial.—*Scientific American N. Y.*—September 2, 1866.

The American Lead Pencil is very excellent and gives credit to American Industry.—*N. Y. Journal of Commerce*.—Aug. 8, 1866.

This extensive Factory is an evidence of the progress of American enterprise and industry; the quality is equal in every respect to the very best imported pencils.—*N. Y. Ev'ng. Express*.—Aug. 11, 1866.

The Company show their ability to compete successfully with the celebrated work of foreign makers.—*N. Y. Evening Post*.—Aug. 9, 1866.

The American Lead Pencils should be given the preference over all others, being a superior article. The pencils need only to be tested to be appreciated.—*Wheeling Register*.—June 14, 1866.

We rejoice that there is no longer a necessity to import from foreign countries all our fine graded pencils.—*Columbus Morning Journal*.—June 19, 1866.

The incredulous will find upon fair trial, that these pencils are fully equal to Faber's in every respect.—*Baltimore Underwriter*.—April 1866.

The American Lead Pencil is unsurpassed by any we have ever used.—*Louisville Journal*.—May 1866.

We have tried the different kinds of pencils made by this Company and pronounce them fully equal in many respects superior to any other pencil.—*St. Louis Sunday Press*.—Aug. 1866.

We have at last found a truly excellent lead pencil.—*Daily Missouri Democrat*.—July 24, 1866.

The American Lead Pencil, we think, is fully equal if not superior to any we have ever before used or seen.—*Detroit Daily Union*.—Oct. 3, 1866.

The pencil specimens are very fine, and are equal if not superior, as to wood and lead, to any now in the market. No imported article excels them for practical purposes, and they have the recommendation of being manufactured at home.—*The Missouri Daily Republican, St. Louis*.

These pencils are pronounced superior to any ever tried before.—*Cleveland Herald. Ohio*.—Oct. 11, 1866.

A fair trial proves these pencils to be of an excellent character.—*St. Louis Dispatch*.—Oct. 19, 1866.

We have tried the Pencils of the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y., and compared them with Faber's and give the American Pencil the preference.—*Cincinnati Daily Enquirer*.—June 30, 1866.

We find them of all grades equal to any we have ever used.—*Cincinnati Daily Gazette*.—June 23, 1866.

The American Lead Pencils are of most excellent quality. We commend these pencils to the patronage of the public.—*Norfolk, Va., Old Dominion*.—Jan. 25, 1866.

The superior Article made by this Company defies all competition, they deserve to be popular and well patronized.—*Buffalo Daily Courier*.—Oct. 25, 1866.

Having given their work a fair and thorough trial, we readily say, the pencil made by the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. are the best we ever used.—*New Haven Palladium*.—Nov. 19, 1866.

These American Pencils are of a quality equal in excellence to the best imported pencils we ever used.—*Cleveland Ohio, Daily Plain Dealer*.—Oct. 11, 1866.

The pencils manufactured by the American Lead Pencil Co. N. Y. are of excellent quality, and are offered at a less price than any other pencil in the market.—*Buffalo Commercial Advertiser*.—Oct. 23, 1866.

This pencil is in every respect equal to the celebrated "Faber" pencil, and that the fact they are manufactured in this country, other things being equal, should recommend to public use.—*Detroit Tribune*.—Sept. 25, 1866.

These pencils are superior, in fact, to any imported we have ever used before.—*Buffalo Post*.—Oct. 12, 1866.

Das Fabrikat ist ein ganz ausgezeichnetes und eine solche Auswahl der verschiedensten Sorten vorhanden, dass jedes Bedürfniss dadurch befriedigt werden kann. Den deutsch-amerikanischen Schulen möchten wir rather ihren Bedarf von dieser Compagnie zu beziehen.—*N. Y. Belletristisches Journal*.—Aug. 31, 1866.